

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
for the  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA

**U.S.A. vs. Travis Tyrone Wheeler**

**Docket No. 4:15-CR-48-2H**

**Petition for Action on Supervised Release**

COMES NOW Taron N. Seburn, U.S. Probation Officer of the court, presenting a petition for modification of the Judgment and Commitment Order of Travis Tyrone Wheeler, who, upon an earlier plea of guilty to Conspiracy to Distribute and Possess With the Intent to Distribute a Quantity of Cocaine and a Quantity of Marijuana, in violation of 21 U.S.C. § 846 and 21 U.S.C. § 841(b)(1)(C), was sentenced by the Honorable Malcolm J. Howard, Senior U.S. District Judge, on February 11, 2016, to the custody of the Bureau of Prisons for a term of 36 months. It was further ordered that upon release from imprisonment the defendant be placed on supervised release for a period of 3 years.

Travis Tyrone Wheeler was released from custody on July 11, 2018, at which time the term of supervised release commenced.

On October 29, 2018, a Violation Report was submitted after the defendant tested positive for marijuana use. The court agreed to continue supervision and the defendant was referred for substance abuse treatment at East Coast Counseling in Greenville, North Carolina.

On January 25, 2019, a Violation Report was submitted after the defendant tested positive for marijuana use on January 9, 2019. The court agreed to continue supervision, and the defendant was enrolled in substance abuse treatment at East Coast Counseling in Greenville, North Carolina.

On February 11, 2019, a Violation Report was submitted after the defendant was charged with the offenses of Driving While License Revoked and Expired Registration/Tag (19CR700181) on February 6, 2019, in Tyrell County, North Carolina. The defendant was given a verbal reprimand and the court agreed to continue supervision.

On April 30, 2019, a Motion for Revocation was submitted after the defendant tested positive for marijuana use on March 7, 2019, April 11, 2019, and April 22, 2019. At the revocation hearing held on July 9, 2019, the matter was held open for six months. On January 29, 2020, the court dismissed the Motion for Revocation due to no further violations.

On June 11, 2020, a Petition for Action was submitted after the defendant tested positive for marijuana use on June 2, 2020. The defendant was given a verbal reprimand, counseled about his actions, and ordered to complete 60 days curfew with electronic monitoring. He completed this sanction on August 23, 2020.

**RESPECTFULLY PRESENTING PETITION FOR ACTION OF COURT FOR CAUSE AS FOLLOWS:**

The defendant tested positive for marijuana use on October 7, 2020, and the results were confirmed by laboratory analysis on October 14, 2020. When confronted with the results, Wheeler acknowledged his drug use and signed an admission statement. He was subsequently given a verbal reprimand and was counseled about his actions. In response to this drug use, we recommend the defendant be required to adhere to a curfew with electronic monitoring for a period of 60 days. The defendant signed a Waiver of Hearing agreeing to the proposed modification of supervision.

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**PRAYING THAT THE COURT WILL ORDER** that supervised release be modified as follows:

1. The defendant shall adhere to a curfew as directed by the probation officer for a period not to exceed 60 consecutive days. The defendant is restricted to his residence during the curfew hours. The defendant shall submit to the following Location Monitoring: Radio Frequency monitoring and abide by all program requirements, instructions and procedures provided by the supervising officer.

Except as herein modified, the judgment shall remain in full force and effect.

Reviewed and approved,


I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing  
is true and correct.

/s/ Dewayne L. Smith  
Dewayne L. Smith  
Supervising U.S. Probation Officer

/s/ Taron N. Seburn  
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Executed On: November 3, 2020

**ORDER OF THE COURT**

Considered and ordered this 4th day of November, 2020, and ordered filed  
and made a part of the records in the above case.

  
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Malcolm J. Howard  
Senior U.S. District Judge